

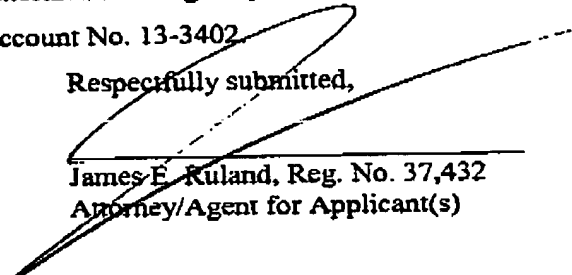
REMARKS

Applicants acknowledge Examiner Ogden's time and courtesy during the telephone conferences of 24 May 2005 and 31 May 2005. No exhibit was shown, no demonstration was conducted, and claims 1, 11, 13 - 15, 18, 19 - 21, 22, 24 - 25 and 27 - 43 were discussed. Also, no prior art was discussed, and the principal proposed amendments are depicted above. In addition, amendments were made to claims 30 and 40 conforming their terminology with the claims that they depended therefrom. Applicants respectfully submit that these amendments do not narrow the scope of claims 30 and 40.

Applicants respectfully submit that these amendments put the case in condition for allowance. If there are any further issues, the Examiner is courteously invited to telephone counsel at the number indicated below.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees associated with this response or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-3402

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